## BRAZIL CITY COMMON COUNCIL

August 22, 2006

The regular meeting of the Brazil Common Council was held on August 22th, 2006 in the Council Chambers of Brazil City Hall. Mayor Tom Arthur called the meeting to order at 7:00 P.M.

**Council Members Present:** Ann Bradshaw, Bill Lovett, Pat Heffner, and Marty Beasley. Also present: Tom Arthur, Mayor and Clerk-Treasurer Tracy Webster. James Sheese and Joe Trout were absent.

Minutes: Council member Marty Beasley made a morion to approve minutes of last meeting, seconded by Council Member Bill Lovett and passed 4-0.

### **Audience Comments:**

None

## Mayor's Comments:

Mayor Tom Arthur discussed the 2007 budget.

### **OLD BUSINESS**

- 1. Second Reading, Ordinance 22-2006, An Ordinance Vacating a Public Street and Alleys in the City of Brazil, Clay County, Indiana. A motion to approve was made by Marty Beasley, seconded by Ann Bradshaw and passed 4-0.
- 2. Second Reading, Ordinance 23-2006, An Ordinance Amending Schedule III of chapter 74, Title VII of the Brazil Code of Ordinances by Designating Strop Streets in the Corporate Limits of the City of Brazil, Indiana, and Providing for the Penalties for Violations thereof. This is located at Luther and Knight. A motion to approve was made by Pat Heffner, seconded by Ann Bradshaw and passed 4-0.

# NEW BUSINESS

None

### **REPORTS:**

Police Department gave the following report: Chief Loudermilk and Marty Beasley attended the Mayor's Roundtable this past week. The department has completed Phase I of the hiring process. There are 6 applicants left. Phase II consists of a written test. Operation Pullover starts Friday. Five officers will participate. Chief Loudermilk attended a seminar of search and seizure. The department is still working on obtaining funding for stop sticks.

Fire Chief Tobey Archer gave the following report: The department is conducting drill training on the burn barrel. The department hosted a birthday party for a child from the Christmas in the Park. August 16<sup>th</sup> physical exams were completed by OSHA.

Brandy Means Planning & Zoning Administrator gave the following report: Brandy received assistance from Paul Brown over Ordinance 5, 2006. 5 unsafe building orders were handed out, 2 stop work orders and several violations.

Brazil Street Department sent in the following report: Signs have been put up, limbs have been bagged and picked-up, the dura-patcher continues to be out and the department is weed-eating daily. Street and Stop signs were also put up.

Brazil Sewer Department sent in the following report: 3 sewers jetted and 106 line locates.

Brazil Water Maintenance sent in the following report: 10 leaks repaired, 10 leaks checked and 29 line locates.

## **FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS:**

Mike Head requested that something be done about brush pick up.

#### **ADJOURMENT**

A motion to adjourn was made by Council member Pat Heffner, seconded by Marty Beasley. Motion carried 5-0. The meeting of the Brazil Common Council adjourned at 7:40 p.m.

Tracy Webster, Clerk Treasurer